

**United States District Court  
Northern District of Texas**

*Nancy Doherty  
Clerk of Court*

*1100 Commerce Room 14A20  
Dallas, Texas 75242-1003*

April 19, 1999

Mr. Charles R. Fulbruge III, Clerk  
U.S. Court of Appeals - Fifth Circuit  
600 Camp Street, Room 102  
New Orleans, LA 70130

SUBJECT: 3:98-cv-1262-BD(R) Michael Bitsoff v. City of Dallas

Dear Mr. Fulbruge:

In connection with the appeal cited above, the following documents are transmitted:

  X   Certified copy of the notice of appeal and docket entries  
      Certified copy of the notice of cross-appeal and docket entries  
      Record on appeal consisting of volume(s) of the record;  
          Volume(s) of the transcript           Volume(s) of depositions.  
          Container(s) of exhibits           Folder(s) of State Court Papers  
      Supplemental record, including updated docket entries  
      Other:

In regard to the notice of appeal, the following additional information is furnished:

  X   The Court of Appeals docket fee has been paid  
      This case is proceeding *in forma pauperis*  
      Although the Court of Appeals docket fee was not paid at the time the notice of appeal  
      was filed, it was paid on:  
  X   The District Judge entering the final judgment is: Magistrate Judge Jeff Kaplan  
      The court reporter assigned to this case is:  
  X   This case was decided without a hearing, therefore there will be no transcript

Sincerely,  
NANCY DOHERTY  
*Clerk of Court*

By: *Lynn Horton*  
Lynn Horton  
Deputy Clerk

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DALLAS DIVISION

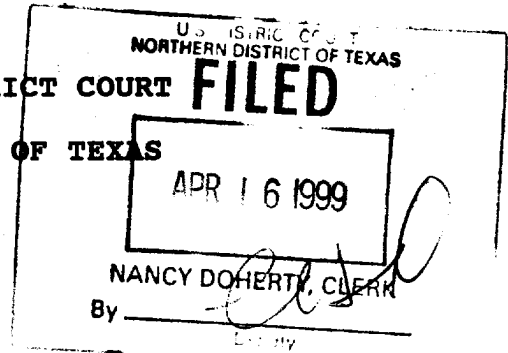
MICHAEL BITSOFF,  
Plaintiff,

vs.

CITY OF DALLAS, TEXAS

Defendant.

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CIVIL ACTION NO.  
3:98-CV-1262-BD

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that Michael Bitsoff, Plaintiff above named, hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit from the Final Judgment entered by the Court on April 8, 1999. This appeal is pursuant to 28 U. S. C. § 636(c)(3).

Respectfully filed this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1999.

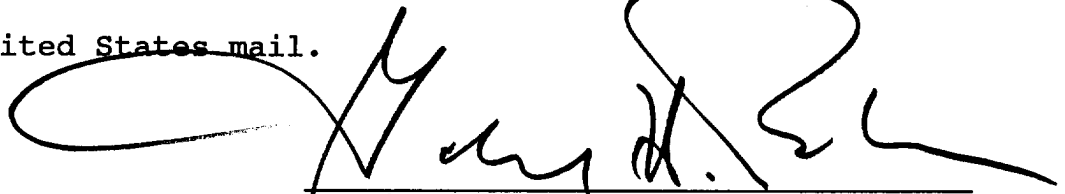
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Gabriel H. Robles, attorney for the Plaintiff, hereby certify that I did on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 1999, deliver one copy of the above and foregoing Pleading to all counsel of record in accordance with Rule 5, Federal Rules of Civil Procedure via regular United States mail.



Gabriel H. Robles